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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: SIDE MEMBER OF AUTOMOBILE

Enclosed are:

☒ SEVEN (7) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-9.

☒ An Assignment of the invention to MITSUBISHI JIDOSHA KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA.

☒ The application claims priority from Japanese Application 2003-072057 filed March 17, 2003.

☒ A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

☐ Small entity status is claimed under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

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